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<p><u>This report is the result of a joint collection effort by the Air Force, Navy, Army and CIA and is disseminated in accordance with the provisions of NSCID #17</u></p>			
1.	<p>[redacted] the 25th AA BN located in [redacted] 25X1</p> <p>Szekesfeharvar /4712 N - 1825 E/ [redacted] 25X1</p> <p>The Battalion had four batteries; three firing batteries and one service battery. There was one "heavy" battery, which had 10 85MM AAA guns. The TD/E called for only six but four were always left in the repair shop and we took six to the field. The battalion also had two "light" batteries, each of which had six 37MM AAA guns. Each 37MM or 85MM gun had a seven-man squad consisting of a squad leader and six crewmen. [redacted] 25X1</p>		
2.	<p>In August 1955 [redacted] the 25th AA Battalion, was moved to Budapest and assigned [redacted] under OLLIP (Orszagos Legvedelmi 25X1</p> <p>Legiero Parancsnoksag). The Regiment was located in a kaserne, which was completed in 1953, called Zrinyi Miklos Kaserne at the end of Felszabadulas Ut near a cemetery. All personnel of the 25th AA Battalion and all 37MM and 85MM guns were transferred with the battalion to Budapest. [redacted] 25X1</p> <p>the 25th AA Battalion ceased to exist, except on paper, at that time. When [redacted] all 37MM guns were turned in to a warehouse for storage 25X1</p> <p>and 85MM guns issued in their place. [redacted] 25X1</p>		
3.	<p>Ten or eleven artillery battalions, just like my own and at the same time, were transferred to Budapest from other areas of Hungary. These battalions, including my own, were reorganized into separate firing batteries. Each battery was equipped with eight 85MM guns instead of the original six and one service battery was organized to service the resulting 14 or 15 firing batteries which remained from the original 30 or 33. [redacted] The service 25X1</p> <p>battery [redacted] serviced the 14 or 15 firing 25X1</p> <p>batteries. This service battery handled the repair and maintenance, Q M, signal and chemical supplies but had no field pieces. These firing batteries formed a defensive ring around Budapest. [redacted] 25X1</p> <p>[redacted] 25X1</p>		
4.	<p>[redacted] the 8th firing battery [redacted] and was 25X1</p> <p>called "D" Battery. In the old battalion at Szekesfeharvar the 85MM battery was always called "A", the two 37MM batteries were called "M" and "H", and service battery was called "T" Battery. [redacted] 25X1</p> <p>[redacted] 25X1</p>		

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1. Organizational chart of the 25th AA BN at Szekesfehervar
  2. Organizational chart of the [ ] Regiment Budapest XIV
  3. Overlay of location of 8th Firing Battery ("D") [ ] Regiment
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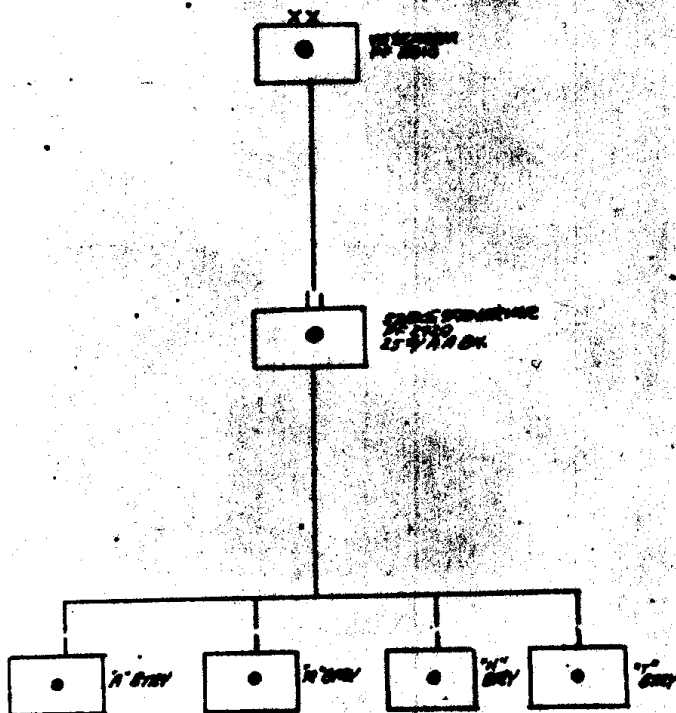
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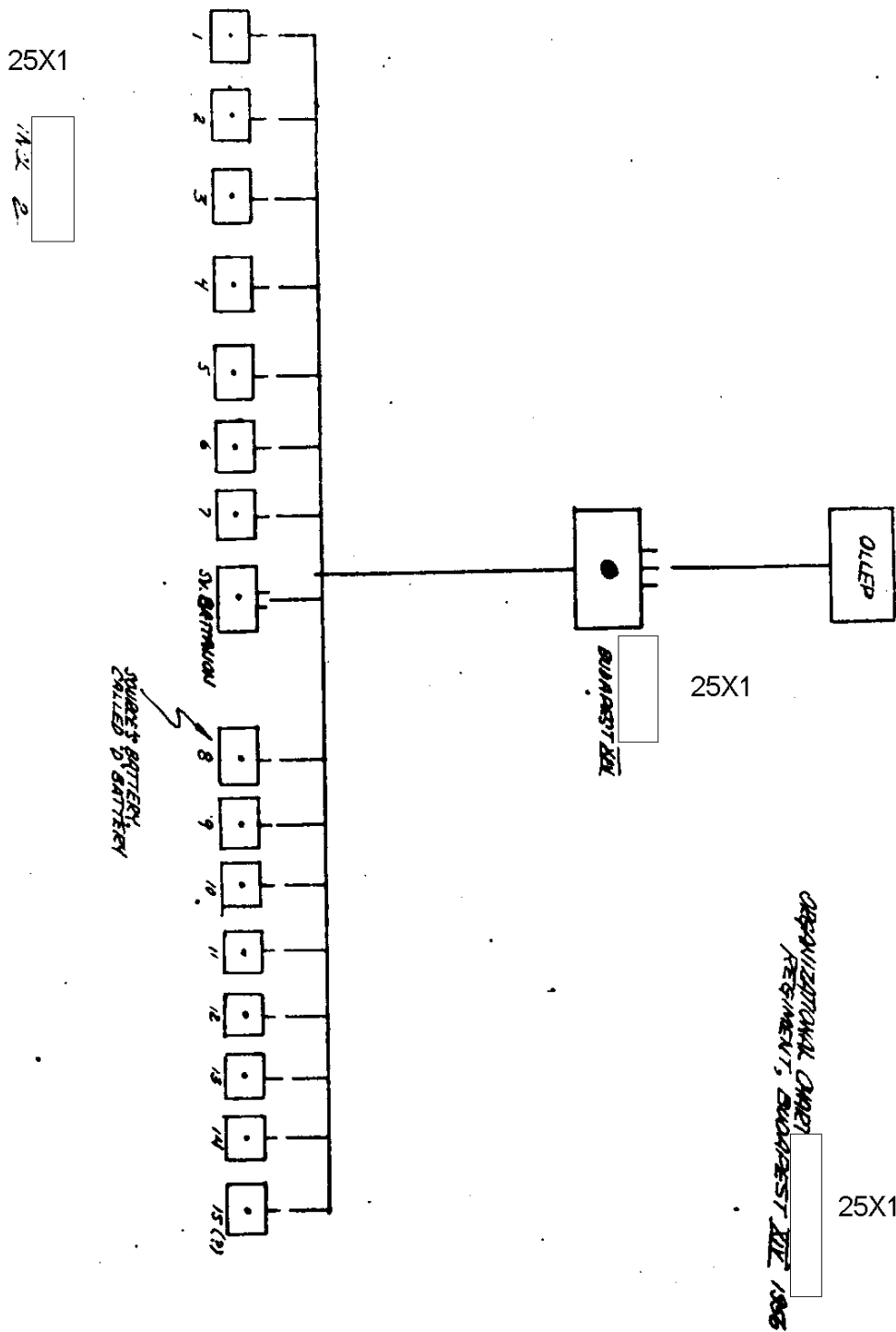
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D BATTERY (8<sup>TH</sup> BATTERY OF REGIMENT)  
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OVERLAY OF LOCATION OF 8<sup>TH</sup> FIRING  
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